

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT[641]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 144A.7A(2), the Department of Public Health hereby amends Chapter 142, “Out-Of-Hospital Do-Not-Resuscitate Orders,” Iowa Administrative Code.

The rules in Chapter 142 set forth guidelines for consideration by health care providers and organizations to help ensure uniform and orderly understandings, processes and procedures for the use and implementation of Out-Of-Hospital Do-Not-Resuscitate Orders. This amendment updates information concerning the uniform identifier based on changes to MedicAlert’s® pricing structure.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the November 19, 2008, Iowa Administrative Bulletin as **ARC 7357B**. No comments were received. The adopted amendment is identical to that published under Notice.

This amendment was adopted by the State Board of Health on January 14, 2009.

This amendment will become effective on March 18, 2009.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 144A.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend **641—Chapter 142**, Appendix A, “Directions for obtaining a uniform identifier,” paragraph “**1**,” as follows:

1. A completed MedicAlert® application, which is available in physician offices or through MedicAlert® by phoning (~~880~~ 800)432-5378 or ~~their~~ the Web site www.medicalert.org, and ~~a new membership fee of \$35.~~

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